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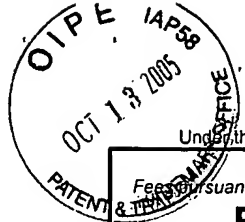
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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 | Application Number | 10/636,057 |
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| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | _____ |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | _____ |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | _____ |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | _____ |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | _____ |

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| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) | 200 | 100 |
| Multiple dependent claims | 360 | 180 |

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Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.